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1. U.S. Patent No. 6,181,919, published January 30, 2001.
2. European Patent Application Publication No. 0 748 075, published

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One copy of each of the listed documents is submitted herewith. Also enclosed is a copy
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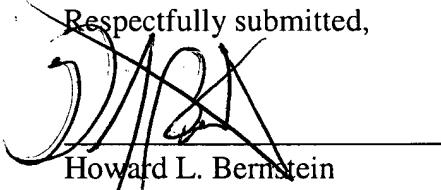
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